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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 16 Oct 93 23:06:46 GMT
From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu
Subject: (none)
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu
Subject: Wanted Manuals and/or Radios
Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Organization: Tallahassee Free-Net

Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap

Path: mailer.cc.fsu.edu!freenet.scri.fsu.edu!twright

From: twright@freenet.scri.fsu.edu (Tim Wright)

Subject: Wanted Manuals and/or Radios

Sender: usenet@mailers.cc.fsu.edu

Organization: Tallahassee Free-Net

Date: Sat, 16 Oct 1993 23:03:24 GMT

Message-ID: <CF0Ipo.F92@mailers.cc.fsu.edu>

A Friend of mine is looking for the following:

Gary, K8NYG is looking for

either and/or both

Collins R389 Manual / radio / BOTH

Hamberlun SP600 VLF Manual / Radio / BOTH

R.A.K. Receiver Manual / Radio / BOTH

R.A.L. Receiver Manual / Radio / BOTH

E-MAIL me at one of the following and I'll pass it on to him.

T.Wright KD40VM

T.Wright@msuacad.morehead-st.edu

Twright@FREENET.FSU.EDU

KD40VM@N0ARY.#NOCAL.CA.USA.NA

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Date: Sun, 17 Oct 1993 01:52:00 GMT

From: usc!yeshua.marcam.com!news.kei.com!ub!acsu.buffalo.edu!ubvms.cc.buffalo.edu!
v111qheg@network.ucsd.edu

Subject: Alinco 206T maintainance help needed

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I have an Alinco 206T mobile rig that has a major problem. It will not transmit. The T/R switch fires it into the TX mode, but no more than a couple miliwatts get out. I have estimated that either the output transistor died or a switching diode went.

Anybody have experience with this type of failure? Anybody know how to get at these parts and how available parts would be?

Any help is APPRECIATED.

Thanks,

Peter KB2NMV/VP9

Date: Sat, 16 Oct 1993 22:16:28 GMT
From: yeshua.marcam.com!zip.eecs.umich.edu!caen!usenet.cis.ufl.edu!usenet.ufl.edu!
mailer.cc.fsu.edu!freenet.scri.fsu.edu!twright@uunet.uu.net
Subject: ALINCO BBS SPONSORSHIP
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Jay, anyway to access the BBS RE: Internet/FTP ???

T.Wright KD40VM

T.Wright@msuacad.morehead-st.edu
TWright@freenet.fsu.edu
AR098@yfn.ysu.edu
KD40VM@NOARY.#NOCAL.CA.USA.NA
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Date: Sun, 17 Oct 1993 01:31:59 GMT
From: usc!howland.reston.ans.net!noc.near.net!lynx!sehrlich@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: Alinco DR-600 Mods wanted
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Can anyone please e-mail me any mod info (and anything else the manual
doesn't mention), along with any FTP site carrying mod info for the
Alinco DR-600.

Thanks much.

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| Scott Ehrlich Internet: wy1z@neu.edu |
Amateur Radio: wy1z AX.25: wy1z@wa1phy.#ema.ma.usa.na
Know your weaknesses, show your strengths - Anonymous
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| Scott Ehrlich Internet: wy1z@neu.edu |
| Amateur Radio: wy1z AX.25: wy1z@wa1phy.#ema.ma.usa.na |
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Date: Sun, 17 Oct 1993 01:03:42 GMT
From: news.Hawaii.Edu!uhunix3.uhcc.Hawaii.Edu!jherman@ames.arpa
Subject: BESTIALITY AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY (BARF)
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Membership is now open to those wishing to join B.A.R.F., the

BESTIALITY AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY

We are a sexual minority organization who try to promote:

- * a deep love for all kinds of animals
- * good operating practices both on the air and on our animals
- * public service (free animal grooming by animal loving individuals)

Our organ-ization consists of many well-educated amateur radio enthusiasts with backgrounds in Biology, Animal Husbandry, Veterinary Science, Proctology.

Misconceptions of our organization are deeply rooted and we hope that by spreading ourselves open to the public we will be able to overcome the bestialphobic feelings that many are prone to innately have.

The following regional chapters gleefully await you and your pet:

BARF in the US: 7831 Pork Road, Sheppard, TX

BARF in Europe: 1334 Lambs Way, Horsehead on the Thames, England

BARF in Asia: [we are attempting to penetrate the Asian market at this time]

Jeff NH6IL (back in the days when we only kissed our pets: WA6QIJ)

Date: Sun, 17 Oct 1993 03:18:55 GMT
From: concert!uvaarpa!murdoch!livia.acs.Virginia.EDU!jeg7e@decwrl.dec.com
Subject: BESTIALITY AMATEUR RADIO FRATERNITY (BARF)
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In article <CF0oA6.5Du@news.hawaii.edu>,
Jeff Herman <jherman@uhunix3.uhcc.Hawaii.Edu> wrote:

One thing that is glaringly obvious about you sir, is your overwhelming

pre-occupation with Homosexuality and your intense desire to show to us the distance which you would like us to believe you stand from it.

Is there some adolescent incident(s) you've not fully worked your way through or something?

>Jeff NH6IL (back in the days when we only kissed our pets: WA6QIJ)

Methinks the lady doth protesteth too much... *snap*

Moo

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Any opinions expressed herein are not intended to be construed as those of UVA

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 \ \ /   Jon Gefaell,  Computer Systems Engineer   | Amateur Radio - KD4CQY
  \/\/   Systems Research, ITC OSSSD/Carruthers Hall | -Will chmod for food-
   \/    The University of Virginia, Charlottesville | Hacker@Virginia.EDU
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Date: 17 Oct 1993 02:03:14 GMT

From: usc!math.ohio-state.edu!magnus.acs.ohio-state.edu!usenet.ins.cwru.edu!odin!trier@network.ucsd.edu

Subject: Cordless phone Band????

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In article <931008.224126.6M7.rusnews.w165w@hades.cdp.org>,

Tony Pelliccio <system@hades.cdp.org> wrote:

>It's not like we really utilize the 33cm band to it's full potential
>but it's still sad to see it go.

It doesn't have to go. One could always fight spread spectrum with spread spectrum.

No, I'm not holding my breath waiting for it. :-)

Stephen

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Stephen Trier KB8PWA

Work: trier@ins.cwru.edu

Home: sct@po.cwru.edu

"[I]t's time to put your power supply under the cardboard pyramid in the fridge with the oranges and razor blades under it."

- jangus@skyld.tele.com

Date: 16 Oct 93 23:35:33 GMT
From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu
Subject: Daily Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for 15 October
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

!!BEGIN!! (1.0) S.T.D. Solar Geophysical Data Broadcast for DAY 288, 10/15/93
10.7 FLUX=094.1 90-AVG=096 SSN=076 BKI=1111 1100 BAI=002
BGND-XRAY=A8.2 FLU1=9.4E+05 FLU10=1.2E+04 PKI=2221 2111 PAI=005
BOU-DEV=005,006,008,008,008,006,004,002 DEV-AVG=005 NT SWF=00:000
XRAY-MAX= B3.8 @ 1046UT XRAY-MIN= A7.3 @ 2359UT XRAY-AVG= B1.1
NEUTN-MAX= +004% @ 1045UT NEUTN-MIN= -002% @ 1505UT NEUTN-AVG= +1.4%
PCA-MAX= +0.0DB @ 2355UT PCA-MIN= -0.4DB @ 1735UT PCA-AVG= -0.0DB
BOUTF-MAX=55366NT @ 2213UT BOUTF-MIN=55338NT @ 1749UT BOUTF-AVG=55356NT
GOES7-MAX=P:+000NT@ 0000UT GOES7-MIN=N:-000NT@ 0000UT G7-AVG=+071,+000,+000
GOES6-MAX=P:+112NT@ 1936UT GOES6-MIN=N:-063NT@ 1258UT G6-AVG=+092,+015,-038
FLUXFCST=STD:090,090,090;SESC:090,090,090 BAI/PAI-FCST=010,010,010/007,010,010
KFCST=2223 3232 2223 3232 27DAY-AP=005,005 27DAY-KP=2223 1111 2122 1211
WARNINGS=
ALERTS=
!!END-DATA!!

NOTE: The Effective Sunspot Number for 14 OCT 93 was 45.0.
The Full Kp Indices for 14 OCT 93 are: 3o 2+ 2+ 2- 2o 2+ 2- 1o

Date: 16 Oct 1993 23:46:22 GMT
From: library.ucla.edu!europa.eng.gtefsd.com!howland.reston.ans.net!noc.near.net!
news.delphi.com!gilbaronw@mn@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: FT30 AM
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

>: I have not been able to confirm that you can store the AM or FM mode in
>: memory. There seems to be no mention or even implication of such a

I also can store the AM mode in the memory. ALL functions are stored as far
as I know but the AM mode certainly is. I have tested it myself.

Gil Baron, El Baron Rojo, WOMN Rochester,MN
"Bailar es Vivir"
PGP2.X key at key servers or upon request

Date: Wed, 13 Oct 1993 05:46:21 GMT
From: library.ucla.edu!news.mic.ucla.edu!unixg.ubc.ca!kakwa.ucs.ualberta.ca!
alberta!adec23!usenet@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: GAY INTERNATIONAL HAM RADIO CLUB

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

GAY RADIO & COMPUTER CLUB

Join the LAMBDA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB for gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered radio, electronics and computer enthusiasts. GENIE & Internet E-Mail roundtables, on-the-air ham radio meetings, monthly newsletter, ham licensing help and more!

WRITE: LARC, P.O. Box 24810, Philadelphia, PA 19130 USA
Tel: (215) 978-5272

LARC-Europe, P.O. Box 1PW, Newcastle upon Tyne,
NE99 1PW, England

LARC-Asia, P.O. Box 86, Taipei, Taiwan

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Don Bledsoe, WB6LYI

dbledsoe@netcom.com

Date: Sat, 16 Oct 1993 22:46:28 GMT
From: olivea!apple.com!netcomsv!netcom.com!dbledsoe@uunet.uu.net
Subject: GAY INTERNATIONAL HAM RADIO CLUB
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

What is LARC?

The Lambda Amateur Radio Club (LARC) is an international, non-profit organization of amateur radio operators (hams), short wave radio listeners, and persons interested in amateur radio, electronics and computers most of whom are members of sexual minorities. Most LARC members possess a high degree of technical knowledge relative to radio, electronics and/or computers. Most possess government issued licenses which allow them to operate specialized radio equipment and peripherals. LARC members routinely use their specialized knowledge and equipment to communicate with other hams locally and worldwide!

However, even though LARC's talented men and women are making significant contributions to the growth and development of radio, electronic and computer technology, LARC has not been welcomed into the amateur radio community in the United States. Efforts to publicize the existence of the club and thereby expand the membership have been frustrated by the one and only professional organization representing the ham radio community, the American

Radio Relay League. The 150,000 member strong League has refused since 1985 to allow LARC to advertise its existence in _QST_ magazine, the ARRL's membership journal.

In fact, only one of the three major monthly publications covering the amateur radio hobby currently permits LARC to advertise. AND NONE HAS EVER COVERED LARC FROM A HUMAN INTEREST POINT OF VIEW OR EVEN ONCE PUBLISHED A DESCRIPTIVE PROFILE OF LARC. Unfortunately, we've also been unable to convince the national gay and lesbian media to run a feature on our club. Thus LARC, a very special organization of highly talented sexual minority members, is largely a well kept secret!

But the story gets even worse! Two editors of ham radio publications have attacked LARC in print, one as recently as in the September, 1993 issue of his magazine!

In March of 1992, LARC filed a discrimination complaint against the ARRL in Connecticut with the aid of the Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund. The ARRL is contesting the claim and the process could drag on for years. Meanwhile, we're remain unable to get the word out about our club.

I'd like to invite interested netters to join LARC. Here's a description of our club and its activities:

LAMBDA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

LARC: Over the Years

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The Lambda Amateur Radio Club (LARC) is an international, non-profit organization of amateur radio operators (hams), short wave radio listeners, and persons interested in amateur radio, computers and electronics, most of whom are members of sexual minorities. While most members of LARC are gay men, lesbian women, bisexuals or transgendered individuals, membership is open to anyone supportive of sexual minorities. The club was founded in June of 1975 by a gay American ham radio operator who advertised in a national publication seeking to meet other gays and lesbians with an interest in ham radio. Before long membership consisted of about two dozen persons in the U.S. and Canada. The club grew slowly and operated informally until 1984, when an aggressive campaign was launched to seek out new members and to publicize the existence of the club. Since 1984, membership has increased steadily. LARC currently has members in several countries including the U.S., Canada, Finland, Sweden, Switzerland, the Ukraine, and the United Kingdom and is beginning to grow more rapidly as more and more individuals learn about the

club. Most but not all LARC members are licensed ham radio operators.

Goals and Objectives

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LARC is a service-oriented club. During 1986, LARC members adopted a Constitution & Bylaws which set forth the purposes and goals of the club:

- o offer club membership, benefits, and a sense of community to members of sexual minorities who share a common interest in amateur radio, computers and electronics;
- o promote friendship and good fellowship;
- o provide support to members;
- o conduct an ongoing outreach program;
- o provide public service;
- o promote the amateur radio service.

LARC members elect club officers for a term of two years.

Activities

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LARC activities consist of E-mail activities on Internet, GENie and America On Line, and on-the-air meetings of members several times a week on various shortwave bands utilizing voice, Morse code, and digital modes of communication. In addition, the club publishes a monthly newsletter, the LAMBDA NET NEWS. Club members are encouraged to meet and correspond with each other. Members gather at various local events such as computer conventions or hamfests. Once a year, the club conducts an official business meeting at the Dayton Hamvention, one of the largest amateur radio, electronics and computer conventions in the world.

Accomplishments

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LARC members are proud of the accomplishments of the club and its members over the years. The club has been instrumental in aiding persons to obtain their amateur radio licenses. The club has successfully encouraged inactive amateur radio operators to again become active in the hobby. LARC members are active participants in pioneering technical advancements in the realms of amateur satellite communications and digital communications. LARC members have formed local chapters to promote the club at the local level and members continue to express an interest in forming additional chapters. One of the most significant benefits of having local chapters is the local public service they can provide to their community. In addition, LARC has sponsored two OSCAR-13 (Orbiting Satellite Carrying Amateur Radio) DXpeditions to the Caribbean to

activate three new countries on "the bird."

LARC: The Future

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Looking to the future, LARC will become more visible in the sexual minority community and the amateur radio community. Appearances at community and public service events at which members provide communications assistance are planned. An outreach effort to the international community has begun. The continued growth of the club is beneficial to the amateur radio service, which is suffering from a slow growth rate and an ageing population.

"Highly skilled and talented members of sexual minorities will continue to make positive contributions to the computer, electronics and amateur radio fields" said Jim Kelly (KK3K), President of LARC. "LARC is a success in large part because we're proud to proclaim the participation and technical accomplishments of gay men, lesbians, bisexuals and transgendered individuals in these important technical areas".

FOR MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION:

Lambda Amateur Radio Club
P.O. Box 24810
Philadelphia, PA 19130 USA

LARC Hotline:
(215) 978-LARC
(215) 978-5272

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Don Bledsoe, WB6LYI

dbledsoe@netcom.com

Date: Sun, 17 Oct 1993 03:15:37 GMT
From: world!rbarnaby@uunet.uu.net
Subject: Imminent Death of Ham Radio: 2m HT in Penney's Christmas Catalog
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

edmitch@microsoft.com (Ed Mitchell) writes:

>Radio Shack has been carrying Amateur gear for what,
>3 years now? Still now signs of death.

Gosh, Ed, maybe you meant 30 years, but I remember buying Amateur Gear in 1958, so maybe even earlier!

Richard L. Barnaby rbarnaby@world.std.com

Orig: K10LZ, then let license lapse (mistake) just retested, awaiting ticket AA1??. 73's

PS Very interesting post about other encroachments other than J.C. Penney

Date: Sun, 17 Oct 1993 02:23:15 GMT

From: usc!howland.reston.ans.net!math.ohio-state.edu!caen!usenet.cis.ufl.edu!
usenet.ufl.edu!mailer.cc.fsu.edu!freenet.scri.fsu.edu!bischoff@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: JVFAX6.0

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I have obtained a copy of JVFAX6.0 and think it is fabulous. It is a significant step forward in compatability with the various VGA cards found today and (I guess) the various modes of SSTV transmission - which brings me to the point. JVFAX6.0 conatins the following SSTV modes: WR 24/128; WR 48/128; WR 48/256; WR 96/256; WR120; WR 180; Martin 1; Martin 2; Scotti 1 and Scotti 2. My problem is this, when listening to the SSTV net on 14.230, I had no problem decoding anything that was announced as a Scotti 1 or a Scotti 2 - however, I am not sure as to which of the listed modes (if any) correspond to Robot 72 or Robot 36. Can anyone help a newbie out?? Any other pointers???

Can anyone provide me with some SSTV net times and frequencies?

Thanks in advance for any assistance you can provide.

73s

Bill.

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Bill Bischoff, NK40		
Tallahassee, Florida		bischoff@freenet.scri.fsu.edu
(904) 893-6547		

Date: Sun, 17 Oct 1993 03:36:53 GMT

From: world!rbarnaby@uunet.uu.net

Subject: magnetic fields from gear

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

rfeldber@pearl.tufts.edu writes:

>I am thinking about getting back on the air after a ten year absence. However,
>I am a bit concerned about magnetic fields coming off my gear. My old Kenwood
>TS-520s used to throw a relay on my furnace a full 30 feet away from the rig!
>I never thought about it at the time, but now it gives me some pause. Is the
>new

>gear any better? Are there some rigs better than others? I would appreciate any
>comments direct to my E-mail address, since I rarely get into this newsgroups.
>Thanks for the help
>Ross F.

Any responders please respond to this thread, or email me as well. Tx.
Richard L. Barnaby rbarnaby@world.std.com AA1??

Date: Sat, 16 Oct 1993 13:02:21 GMT
From: gumbly!destroyer!nntp.cs.ubc.ca!alberta!adec23!ve6mgs!mark@yale.arpa
Subject: RAC Bulletins in Electronic Form?
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I am breaking from tradition, and allowing MY request for information to be cross-posted to rec.radio.info. Since it is an administrivia request for the group of rec.radio.info, I feel it is justified as part of running the information only news group.

I have had a rash of recent requests for some electronic access to the Radio Amateurs of Canada (RAC) Bulletins and Articles. I will be endeavoring to find a local source, if possible, but would also appreciate any effort by someone else to be a provider of this information to the rec.radio.info news group. Please contact rec-radio-request@ve6mgs.ampr.ab.ca if you have access!

Thanks, Ciao, 73 de VE6MGS/Mark mark@ve6mgs.ampr.ab.ca|mark@adec23.UUCP
- Entries to the Amateurs on USENET List: hams-on-usenet@ve6mgs.ampr.ab.ca
- Postings to rec.radio.info: rec-radio-info@ve6mgs.ampr.ab.ca
- rec.radio.info administrivia: rec-radio-request@ve6mgs.ampr.ab.ca
"Give any one species too much rope, and they'll **** it up"
'Too much Rope' Amused to Death, Roger Waters

Date: 17 Oct 93 02:27:08 GMT
From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu
Subject: Smithsonian Station?
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

>I will be in Washington this coming weekend and was wondering if anyone
>had information about an active amateur radio station in the Smithsonian.
>If I remember correctly, someone mentioned that there is one in the basement?

Dont know what the current schedule is, but the callsign is
NN3SI, in the American History building, first floor.

Date: Sun, 17 Oct 1993 00:13:54 GMT
From: rit!isc-newsserver!ultb!jdc3538@cs.rochester.edu
Subject: Where are FM stations broadcasting SCA? (was SCA adapters)
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I'm interested in an SCA receiver, but only one station in the Rochester, NY area broadcasts a subcarrier (WXXI-FM). Has anyone compiled a list of SCA-broadcasting stations?

73...Jim
N2VNO

Date: Thu, 14 Oct 1993 21:59:06 EST
From: paperboy.ids.net!anomaly.sbs.com!kd1nr!system@uunet.uu.net
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

References <931002.185416.104.rusnews.w165w@hades.cdp.org>, <2524@indep1.UUCP>, <8087.2cbab02d@hayes.com>an
Subject : Re: New Products Announcement: BFH-1 & BFH-2

bcoleman@hayes.com (Bill Coleman) writes:

> In article <2524@indep1.UUCP>, clifto@indep1.UUCP (Cliff Sharp) writes:
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>> I always get a kick out of explaining it. I look the questioner in the
>> eye and say "BFH means 'big hammer'." They stare blankly for a second, the
> n
>> smile broadly... usually. If they ask about the "F", I tell them to use
>> their imagination... so far that's worked.
>
> In the computer industry, we have a similar saying: RTFM. "Read the manual."
>
> The "F" is uh, er, silent.

Hmmm.. you've never read a manual put out by Data General, have you?

They don't exactly give you much more information.

Tony

o o Tony Pelliccio, KD1NR, Control Op 441.750+, ARRL VE
 \ / system @ hades.cdp.org Soon W5YI VE
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      -----(oo)   Cow humor. Sort of like the Far Side.
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  / | {MTV}||      MooTV - Rockin' Bumpin' and Funkin' into the 90's
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    ||-----||      (And people thought my last .sig was long, ha!)
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